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	EXECUTABLE IN AN ONBOARD	)	<i>1/1</i>
	SYSTEM PROVIDED WITH	)	<i>1/1</i>
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	PROCESSING AND	)	<i>1/1</i>
	CORRESPONDING ONBOARD	)	<i>1/1</i>
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of this application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-11 without prejudice and substitute therefore the following new claims: